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**State Requests Public Comments on Changes  
to State's Workforce Investment Act State Plan**

**NASHVILLE**--State officials with the Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development will accept comments from the public during a 30-day comment period about a proposed change to the state's Workforce Investment Act (WIA) State Plan. The public comment period is from February 27, 2001 to March 28, 2001.

The proposed change and the WIA State Plan are available for viewing on the department's web site **<http://www.state.tn.us/labor-wfd/>** or by visiting one of the following Career Centers or offices listed below between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

- Northeast Tennessee Career Center, 2515 Wesley Street, Johnson City, TN 37601
- Five Rivers Regional Career Center, 6057 W. Andrew Johnson Highway, Suite 6A, Talbott, TN 37877
- Knoxville Area Career Center, 3929 Western Avenue, Knoxville, TN 37921
- Tennessee River Valley Career Center, 60 Ridley Street, Post Office Box 887, Crossville, TN 38555
- Southeast Career Center, Eastgate Town Center, 5600 Brainerd Road, Suite B-18, Chattanooga, TN 37411
- Athens Area Career Center, 901 N. Congress Parkway, Athens, TN 37303
- Mid-South Career Center, 111 East Lincoln Street, Tullahoma, TN 37388
- Upper Cumberland Career Center, 3300 Williams Enterprise Drive, Cookeville, TN 38506
- Clarksville-Montgomery County, Clarksville-Montgomery County Career Center, Veterans Plaza, 350 Pageant Lane, Suite 406, Clarksville, TN 37041
- Middle Tennessee Career Center, MetroCenter, 621 Mainstream Drive, Suite 210, Nashville, TN 37228

- South Central Tennessee Career Center, 119 Nashville Highway, Suite 106, Northway Shopping Center, Columbia, TN 38402
- West Tennessee Career Center, 416 E. Lafayette Street, Jackson, TN 38302-0758
- Northwest Tennessee Career Center, 439 McGaughey Street, Dyersburg, TN 38025-0565
- Memphis Area Career Center, 444 North Main Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Memphis Area Transit Authority Terminal, Memphis, TN 38103
- Employment and Training, 12th floor, Davy Crockett Building  
500 James Robertson Pkwy, Nashville, TN 37245

Written comments on the proposed changes to the WIA state plan should be addressed to:

**Patricia Harris-Morehead  
Employment and Training Section  
Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development  
500 James Robertson Parkway, Davy Crockett Building, 12th floor  
Nashville, Tennessee 37245-0200  
Telephone: 1 800-255-5872**

Written comments will be accepted at the above address through **March 28, 2001**.

Tennessee's unified Workforce Investment Act State Plan describes in detail how state agencies and Local Workforce Investment Areas collaborate with each other to implement a comprehensive array of services for Tennesseans under the federal Workforce Investment Act.

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